

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

XIII Finance Commission- Publication of Fire Hazard Response and Mitigation Plans of Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation, Hyderabad, Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation in the State Gazette – Notification – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (R) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 105

Dated: 25.03.2011

Read :

1. Letter Roc. No. XIII FC/FHR&MP/C&DMA/2010, Dated 16-03-2011, of the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Hyderabad.

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ORDER:

XIII Finance Commission has made allocations to the Urban Local Bodies of Andhra Pradesh with substantive increase from XII Finance Commission. Rs.1918.85 Crores has been allocated for Urban Local Bodies in Andhra Pradesh for 5 years from 2011-12 to 2014-15. Further, the allocated Grants have been divided into General Basic Grants and Performance Grants. The Performance Grants constitute Rs.664.25 Crores and General Basic Grants Rs.1254.60 Crores. Further, XIII Finance Commission stipulated Nine (9) specified conditions to be fulfilled by 31-03-2011 to access the Performance Grants.

2. One of the Nine (9) XIII FC conditions, provides that “All Municipal Corporations with a population of more than 1 million (2001 Census) must put in place a Fire Hazard Response and Mitigation Plan for their respective jurisdictions, and to notify the same by end of 31-03-2011 in the State Gazette”. Andhra Pradesh has three cities in this category namely Hyderabad, Visakhapatnam and Vijayawada.

3. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration in consultation with the State Fire Services Department and after holding series of meetings etc., with key stake holders of GHMC, VMC and GVMC and Fire Service Department officials of respective cities during the last six (6) months has undertaken formulation and finalization of the plans for Fire Hazard Response and Mitigation, to be implemented during the fiscal year 2011-12 for the respective jurisdictions of three cities, i.e., Hyderabad, Vijayawada and Visakhapatnam. GHMC, GVMC and VMC, have also played their due part in finalization of the plans through a series of consultations and approvals of key stake holders at Corporation level and submitted the same to the Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration. The plans have been appeared by respective council.

4. The final proposals of Fire Hazard Response and Mitigation Plans to be implemented during the fiscal year 2011-12 for the respective jurisdictions of three Cities, i.e., Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation (GHMC), Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC), and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (VMC) are proposed by the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, vide reference read above, for publication in State Government Gazette. The Government have accepted the proposal of Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Hyderabad and same is enclosed to this order.

5. Accordingly, the following Notification is published in an extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dated: 25-03-2011.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the fulfilling the Condition No.9 stipulated by the XIII Finance Commission under Para 10.161, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the “Fire Hazard Response and Mitigation Plans to be implemented during the fiscal year 2011-12 for the respective jurisdictions of four Cities, i.e., Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation (GHMC), Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC), and Vijayawada Municipal Corporation (VMC)” is published in an extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, Dated: 25-03-2011, for compliance by the Urban Local Bodies.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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The O.S.D. to Minister for (MA & UD)
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